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To UNPREDICT. *v. a.* To retract prediction.  
 Means I must use, thou say'st prediction else  
 Will *unpredicted*, and fail me of the throne. *Milton.*  
 UNPREFERRED. *adj.* Not advanced.  
 To make a scholar, keep him under, while he is young, or  
*unpreferred.* *Collier on Pride.*  
 UNPREGNANT. *adj.* Not prolific.  
 This deed unshape, ne quite, makes me *unpregnant*,  
 And dull to all proceeding. *Shakespeare.*  
 UNPREJUDICATE. *adj.* Not prepossessed by any settled notions.  
 A pure mind in a chaste body, is the mother of wisdom,  
 sincere principles, and *unprejudicate* understanding. *Taylor.*  
 UNPREJUDICIAL. *adj.* Free from prejudice; free from pre-  
 possession; not pre-occupied by opinion; void of precon-  
 ceived notions.  
 The meaning of them may be so plain, as that any  
*unprejudiced* and reasonable man may certainly understand  
 them. *Tillotson.*  
 Several, when they had informed themselves of our Sa-  
 viour's history, and examined, with *unprejudiced* minds, the  
 doctrines and manners of his disciples, were so struck, that  
 they professed themselves of that sect. *Addison.*  
 UNPRELATIONAL. Unsuited to a prelate.  
 The archbishop of York, by such *unprelatical*, ignominious  
 arguments, in plain terms advised him to pass that act. *Chambers.*  
 UNPREPARED. *adj.* Not prepared in the mind before-  
 hand.  
 Ask me what question thou canst possible,  
 And I will answer *unpreparedly*. *Shakespeare. Hen. VI.*  
 He dictates to me slumbering; or inspires  
 Easy my *unprepared* verse. *Milton's Par. Lost.*  
 The flow of speech make *unpreparedly* harangues, or  
 converse readily in languages that they are but little acquaint-  
 ed with. *Addison.*  
 UNPREPARED. *adj.*  
 1. Not fitted by previous measures.  
 Unpractis'd, *unprepar'd*, and still to seek. *Milton.*  
 To come *unprepar'd* before him, is an argument that we  
 do not esteem God. *Dryden's Rules for Devotion.*  
 Fields are full of eyes, and woods have ears;  
 For this the wife are ever on their guard,  
 For, unforeseen, they say, is *unprepar'd*. *Dryden.*  
 2. Not made fit for the dreadful moment of departure.  
 I would not kill thy *unprepared* spirit;  
 No; heavens forefend. *Shakespeare. Othello.*  
 My *unprepar'd*, and unrepenting breath,  
 Was snatch'd away by the swift hand of death. *Rescuer.*  
 UNPREPAREDNESS. *n. f.* State of being unprepared.  
 I believe my innocence and *unpreparedness* to assert my  
 rights and honour, make me the most guilty in their esteem;  
 who would not so easily have declared a war against me, if  
 I had first assaulted them. *K. Charles.*  
 UNPREPOSSESSED. Not prepossessed; not pre-occupied by  
 notions.  
 The *unprepossessed* on the one hand, and the well-disposed  
 on the other, are affected with a due fear of these things. *South.*  
 It finds the mind naked and *unprepossessed* with any former  
 notions, and so easily and insensibly gains upon the affections. *South.*  
 UNPREPRESSED. *adj.*  
 1. Not pressed.  
 Have I my pillow left *unpressed* in Rome? *Shakespeare.*  
 In these soft shades, *unpressed* by human feet,  
 Thy happy Phoenix keeps his balmy seat. *Tickell.*  
 2. Not enforced.  
 They left not any error in government unmentioned, or  
*unpressed*, with the sharpest and most pathetic expres-  
 sions. *Carenden.*  
 UNPRETENDING. *adj.* Not claiming any distinctions.  
 Bad writers are not ridiculed, because ridicule ought to  
 be a pleasure; but to undecieve and vindicate the honest and  
 unpretending part of mankind from imposition. *Pope.*  
 UNPREVALING. *adj.* Being of no force.  
 Throw to earth this *unprevailing* woe. *Shakespeare. Hamlet.*  
 UNPREVENTED. *adj.*  
 1. Not previously hindered.  
 A pack of fellows, which wou'd press you down,  
 If *unprevented* to your timeliest grave. *Shakespeare.*  
 2. Not preceded by any thing.  
 Thy grace  
 Comes *unprevented*, unimplo'd, unfought. *Milton.*  
 UNPRINCIPALLY. *adv.* Unsuitable to a prince.  
 I could not have given my enemies greater advantages,  
 than by so *unprincipally* an incontinency. *K. Charles.*  
 UNPRINTED. *adj.* Not printed.  
 Defer it, till you have finished these that are yet *un-*  
*printed.*  
 UNPRINCIPLED. *adj.* Not settled in tenets or opinions.  
 I do not think my sister so to seek,  
 Or so *unprincipled* in virtue's book.  
 As that she long want of light and noise  
 Could stir the consent mood of her calm thoughts. *Milton.*  
 Others betake them to state affairs, with souls to *unprin-*  
*ciple*

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pled in virtue, and true generous breeding, that flattery, and  
 court shifts, and tyrannous apherisms, appear to them the  
 highest points of wisdom. *Milton on Education.*  
 UNPRIABLE. *adj.* Not valued; not of estimation.  
 A banishing vessel was he captain of,  
 For shallow draught and bulk *unpriable*. *Shakespeare.*  
 UNPROCLAIMED. *adj.* Not notified by a public declaration.  
 The Syrian king, who to surprize  
 One man, assassin-like, had levy'd war,  
 War *unproclaim'd*. *Milton's Par. Lost, l. xi.*  
 UNPROFITABLE. *adj.* Useless; serving no purpose.  
 The church being eased of *unprofitable* labours, needful  
 offices may the better be attended. *Hale.*  
 Should he reason with *unprofitable* talk?  
 My son Onesimus I have begotten in my bonds; which in  
 time past was to thee *unprofitable*, but now profitable to thee  
 and me. *Philomen 11.*  
 They receive aliment sufficient, and yet no more than they  
 can well digest; and withal sweat out the coarsest and *unpro-*  
*fitable* juice. *Bacon's Nat. Hist.*  
 It is better to fall honourably, than to survive in an *un-*  
*profitable* and unglorious life. *L'Estrange.*  
 Then they who brothers better claim disown,  
 Defraud their clients, and to lucre fold,  
 Sit brooding on *unprofitable* gold. *Dryden.*  
 With frame and sorrow fill'd,  
 For plotting an *unprofitable* crime.  
 An ox that waits the coming blow,  
 Old and *unprofitable* to the plough.  
 With tears to tender,  
 As any heart, but only her's, could move;  
 Trembling before her bolted doors he stood,  
 And there pour'd out th' *unprofitable* blood. *Dryden.*  
 UNPROFITABLE. *adj.* Set free from confinement,  
 Several desires led parts away.  
 Water declin'd with earth, the air did fly;  
 Fire rose, and each from other but untild;  
 Themselves *unprofitable* were, and purify'd. *Donne.*  
 UNPRIENED. *adj.* Not valued.  
 Not all the dukes of wretched Burgundy,  
 Can buy this *unpriend*, precious mind of me. *Shakespeare.*  
 UNPROFANED. *adj.* Not violated.  
 Unpoll'd shall be her arms, and *unprofan'd*  
 Her holy limbs with any human hand;  
 And in a marble tomb laid in her native land. *Dryden.*  
 UNPROFITABLENESS. *n. f.* Uselessness.  
 We are so persuaded of the *unprofitableness* of your science,  
 that you can but leave us where you find us; but if you suc-  
 ceed, you increase the number of your party. *Addison.*  
 UNPROFITABLY. *adv.* Uselessly; without advantage.  
 I should not now *unprofitably* spend  
 Myself in words, or catch at empty hope,  
 In any ways, for solid certainties. *B. Johnson.*  
 Our country's cause,  
 That drew our swords, now wreaths 'em from our hands,  
 And bids us not delight in Roman blood  
*Unprofitably* shed. *Addison's Cato.*  
 UNPROFITED. *adj.* Having no gain.  
 Be clamorous, and leap all civil bounds,  
 Rather than make *unprofited* return. *Shakespeare.*  
 UNPROFITICK. *adj.* Barren; not productive.  
 Great rains drown many insects, and render their eggs  
*unprofitick*, or destroy them. *Hale.*  
 UNPROMISSING. *adj.* Giving no promise of excellence; hav-  
 ing no appearance of value.  
 If he be naturally listless and dreaming, this *unpromising*  
 disposition is none of the easiest to be dealt with. *Locke.*  
 An attempt as difficult and *unpromising* of success, as if he  
 should make the essay, to produce some new kind of animal  
 out of such senseless materials. *Bentley.*  
 UNPROSOUNCED. *adj.* Not uttered; not spoken.  
 Mad'st imperfect words, with childish trips,  
 Half-pronounc'd, slide through my infant lips. *Milton.*  
 UNPROPER. *adj.* Not peculiar.  
 Millions nightly lie in those *unproper* beds,  
 Which they dare swear peculiar. *Shakespeare. Othello.*  
 UNPROPERLY. *adv.* Contrarily to propriety; improperly.  
 I kneel before thee, and *unproperly*  
 Shew duty as mistaken all the while  
 Between the child and parent. *Shakespeare's Coriolanus.*  
 UNPROPTIOUS. *adj.* Not favourable; unpropitious.  
 'Twas when the dog-star's *unpropitious* ray  
 Smote every brain, and wither'd every way,  
 Sick was the sun. *Pope.*  
 UNPROPTOUNED. *adj.* Not suited to something else.  
 Give thy thoughts no tongue,  
 Nor any *unproptoun'd* thought his aid. *Shakespeare.*  
 UNPROPPED. *adj.* Not supported; not upheld.  
 He lives at random, carelessly diffus'd,  
 With languish'd head *unpropp'd*,  
 As one past hope, abandon'd,  
 And by himself given over. *Milton's Agonist.*

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The fatal fang drove deep within his thigh,  
 And cut the nerves; the nerves no more sustain  
 The bulk; the bulk, *unpropp'd*, falls headlong on the plain.  
*Dryden.*  
 UNPROPOSED. *adj.* Not proposed.  
 The means are *unpropos'd*. *Dryden.*  
 UNPROSPEROUS. *adj.* [improsser, Lat.] Unfortunate; not pro-  
 perous.  
 The winter had been very *unprosperous* and unsuccessful to  
 the king. *Clarendon.*  
 Nought *unprosperous* shall thy ways attend,  
 Born with good omens, and with heav'n thy friend. *Pope.*  
 UNPROSPEROUSLY. *adv.* Unsuccessfully.  
 When a prince fights justly, and yet *unprosperously*, if he  
 could see all those reasons for which God hath so ordered it,  
 he would think it the most reasonable thing in the world. *Taylor.*  
 UNPROTECTED. *adj.* Not protected; not supported.  
 By woeful experience, thy both did learn, that to forsake  
 the true God of heaven, is to fall into all such evils upon the  
 face of the earth, as men, either destitute of grace divine,  
 may commit, or unprotected from above, endure. *Hooker.*  
 UNPROVED. *adj.* Not evinced by arguments.  
 The land,  
 In antique times was savage wilderness,  
 Unpeopled, unmanur'd, *unproved*, unprais'd. *Spenser.*  
 There I found a fresh, *unproved* knight,  
 Whose many hands, imbrued in guilty blood,  
 Had never been. *Fairy Queen, b. i.*  
 There is much of what should be demonstrated, left un-  
 proved by those chymical experiments. *Boyle.*  
 UNPROVIDE. *v. a.* To divest of resolution or qualifications.  
 I'll not expostulate with her, lest  
 Her beauty *unprovide* my mind again. *Shakespeare. Othello.*  
 Prosperity inviting every sense,  
 With various arts to *unprovide* my mind;  
 What but a Spartan spirit can sustain  
 The shock of such temptations? *Southern.*  
 UNPROVIDED. *adj.*  
 1. Not secured or qualified by previous measures.  
 Where shall I find one that can steal well? O, for a fine  
 thief of two and twenty, or thereabout; I am heinously *un-*  
*provided*. *Shakespeare. Hen. IV.*  
 With his prepared sword he charges home  
 My *unprovided* body, lanc'd my arm. *Shakespeare.*  
 Tears, for a stroke foreseen, afford relief;  
 But *unprovided* for a sudden blow,  
 Like Niobe we marble grow,  
 And petrify with grief. *Dryden.*  
 2. Not furnished.  
 Those *unprovided* of tackling and victual, are forced to  
 sea.  
 The feditious had neither weapons, order, nor counsel; but  
 being in all things *unprovided*, were slain like beasts. *Hayward.*  
 Th' ambitious empress with her son is join'd,  
 And, in his brother's absence, has design'd  
 Th' *unprovided* town to take. *Dryden.*  
 True zeal is not a solitary, melancholy grace, as if only  
 fit to dwell in mean minds; such as are utterly *unprovided* of  
 all other natural, moral, or spiritual abilities. *Sprat.*  
 Courts are seldom *unprovided* of persons under this char-  
 acter, on whom most employments naturally fall. *Swift.*  
 UNPROVOKED. *adj.* Not provoked.  
 The teeming earth, yet guiltless of the plough,  
 And *unprovok'd*, did fruitful stores allow. *Dryden.*  
 Let them forbear all open and secret methods of encour-  
 aging a rebellion to destructive, and so *unprovoked*. *Addison.*  
 UNPRUNED. *adj.* Not cut; not lopped.  
 The whole land is full of weeds;  
 Her fruit trees all *unprun'd*. *Shakespeare.*  
 UNPUNISHED. *adj.* [impunius, Lat.] Not punished; suffered to  
 continue in impunity.  
 Bind not one sin upon another, for in one thou shalt not  
 be *unpunished*. *Ecclesi vii. 8.*  
 Divine justice will not let oppression go *unpunished*. *L'Estr.*  
 The vent'rous victor, march'd *unpunish'd* hence,  
 And seem'd to boast his fortunate offence. *Dryden.*  
 UNPURCHASED. *adj.* Unbought.  
 Unpurchas'd plenty our full tables loads,  
 And part of what they lent, return'd our gods. *Denham.*  
 UNPURGED. *adj.* Not purged.  
 Is Brutus sick?  
 And will he steal out of his wholesome bed,  
 To tempt the rheumy and *unpurged* air,  
 To add unto his sickness? *Shakespeare. Julius Caesar.*  
 UNPURGED. *adj.* Not designed.  
 Do it  
 Or thy precedent services are all  
 But accidents *unpurged*. *Shakespeare. Ant. and Cleopatra.*  
 UNPULICK. *adj.* Private; not generally known.  
 Virgins must be retired and *unpullick*; for all freedom of  
 society is a violence done to virginity, not in its natural, but  
 in its moral capacity; that is, it loses part of its severity and

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strictness, by publishing that person, whose work is religious,  
 whose thoughts must dwell in heaven. *Taylor.*  
 UNPUBLISHED. *adj.*  
 1. Secret; unknown.  
 All blest secrets;  
 All you *unpublished* virtues of the earth,  
 Spring with my tears. *Shakespeare. K. Lear.*  
 2. Not given to the publick.  
 Apply your care wholly to those which are *unpublished*. *Pope.*  
 UNPURGED. *adj.* Not purged; unpurified.  
 In her visage round those spots, *unpurged*  
 Vapours not yet into her substance turn'd. *Milton.*  
 UNPURIFIED. *adj.*  
 1. Not freed from recreation.  
 2. Not cleansed from sin.  
 Our sinful nation having been long in the furnace, is now  
 come out, but *unpurified*. *Decay of Piety.*  
 UNPURSUED. *adj.* Not pursued.  
 All night the dreadful angel *unpurs'd*  
 Through heav'n's wide champain held his way. *Milton.*  
 UNTRIFIED. *adj.* Not corrupted by rottenness.  
 Meat and drink last longer *untrified*, or unfowled,  
 in winter than in summer. *Bacon's Nat. Hist.*  
 No animal *untrified*, being burnt, yields any alkaline salt,  
 but purified, yields a volatile alkali. *Arbutnot.*  
 UNQUALIFIED. *adj.* Not fit.  
 Till he has denuded himself of all these incumbrances,  
 he is utterly *unqualified* for these agonies. *Decay of Piety.*  
 All the writers against christianity, since the revolution,  
 have been of the lowest rank in regard to literature, wit,  
 and sense; and upon that account wholly *unqualified* to pro-  
 pagate heresies, unless among a people already abandoned. *Sw.*  
 Tories are more hated by the zealous whigs, than the  
 very papists, and as much *unqualified* for the smallest offices. *Sw.*  
 To UNQUALIFY. *v. a.* To disqualify; to divest of qualifi-  
 cation.  
 Arbitrary power so diminishes the basis of the female fi-  
 gure, as to *unqualify* a woman for an evening walk. *Addison.*  
 Our private misfortunes may *unqualify* us for charity: but  
 reflect, whether they may not have been inflicted by God, as  
 a just punishment of our former unmercifulness. *Atterbury.*  
 Deafness *unqualifies* me for all company. *Swift.*  
 UNQUALIFIABLE. *adj.* Such as cannot be impugned.  
 There arise unto the examination such satisfactory and *un-*  
*qualifiable* reasons, as may confirm the causes generally re-  
 ceived. *Brown's Vulgar Errors.*  
 To UNQUEEN. *v. a.* To divest of the dignity of queen.  
 Embalm me,  
 Then lay me forth; although *unqueen'd*, yet like  
 A queen, and daughter to a king, inter me. *Shakespeare.*  
 UNQUENCHABLE. *adj.* Unextinguishable.  
 Were present wildfires burning in water and *unquenchable*. *Bac.*  
 The people on their holidays,  
 Impetuous, insolent, *unquenchable*. *Milton's Agonist.*  
 The criminal's penitence may have number'd him among  
 the saints, when our unrepented uncharitableness may send us  
 to *unquenchable* flames. *Government of the Tongue.*  
 Our love of God, our *unquenchable* desires to promote our  
 well-grounded hopes to enjoy his glory, should take the chief  
 place in our zeal. *Sprat's Sermons.*  
 UNQUENCHED. *adj.*  
 1. Not extinguished.  
 We have heats of dungs, and of lime *unquenched*. *Bacon.*  
 2. Not extinguishable.  
 Sadness, or great joy, equally dissipate the spirits, and im-  
 moderate exercise in hot air, with *unquenched* thirst. *Arbut.*  
 UNQUENCHABLENESS. *n. f.* Unextinguishableness.  
 I was amazed to see the *unquenchableness* of this fire. *Blackwell.*  
 UNQUESTIONABLE. *adj.*  
 1. Indubitable; not to be doubted.  
 The duke's carriage was surely noble throughout; of *un-*  
*questionable* courage in himself, and rather fearful of fame  
 than danger. *Watson.*  
 One reason that mathematical demonstrations are uncon-  
 troverted, is because interest hath no place in those *unques-*  
*tionable* verities. *Glanville's Scipio.*  
 There is an *unquestionable* magnificence in every part of  
 Paradise Lost. *Addison.*  
 2. Such as cannot bear to be questioned without impatience;  
 this seems to be the meaning here.  
 What were his marks? —  
 —A lean cheek, which you have not; an *unquestionable*  
 spirit, which you have not. *Shakespeare.*  
 UNQUESTIONABLY. *adv.* Indubitably; without doubt.  
 If the fathers were *unquestionably* of the household of faith,  
 and all to do good to them; then certainly their children can-  
 not be strangers in this household. *Sprat.*  
 St. Austin was *unquestionably* a man of parts, but in-  
 terposing in a controversy where his talent did not lie,  
 shew'd his zeal against the antipodes to very ill purpose. *Barnet.*  
 UNQUESTIONED. *adj.*  
 1. Not doubted; passed without doubt.